

## Message Text

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R 240309Z FEB 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW  
AMCONSUL LENINGRAD

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CODEL PRICE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OREP (PRICE, MELVIN)

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE CODEL VISIT

1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED LETTER DATED FEBRUARY 14  
FROM CHAIRMAN MELVIN PRICE OF THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES  
COMMITTEE ANNOUNCING A TRIP BY THE MEMBERS AND STAFF  
OF THE COMMITTEE TO LENINGRAD AND MOSCOW, AND POSSIBLY  
KIEV OR ODESSA. PROPOSED TRIP IS PLANNED FOR THE  
PERIOD MARCH 23 THROUGH APRIL 3. CODEL PLANS TO STOP  
ENROUTE TO USSR IN A WESTERN EUROPEAN CAPITAL.

2. DEPARTMENT UNDERSTANDS THAT COMMITTEE IS IN DIRECT  
CONTACT WITH SOVIET EMBASSY HERE REGARDING THE QUESTION  
OF A FORMAL INVITATION.

3. A DETAILED ITINERARY AND LIST OF PARTICIPANTS WILL  
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BE PROVIDED AT A LATER DATE AND DEPARTMENT WILL FORWARD  
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS SOON AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE.  
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